

compliment to Miss Schumpert. Following is from the Herald of a recent date: Mrs. Porter Fleming is due in recognition of giving one of the brilliant and beautiful social of the season in the after-dinner party at which she entertained a large number of friends. Compliment to Miss Elizabeth of Newberry, S. C. The parlor floor of Mrs. Fleming's beautiful home was thrown open to the guests and was flooded with the brilliancy, the dismal inclemency of the weather without but intensifying the cheery comfort within. Tall vases of crimson carnations and American Beauty roses, the flower which has ever since her girlhood been so closely identified with Mrs. Fleming, whose picture leading magazines have portrayed as "An American Beauty" holding an armful of these queenly blossoms, were placed about the beautiful apartments, while an occasional stately palm gave a tropical background to the beautifully gowned women. There were twenty-seven tables of four hand euchre and the Christmas idea was paramount throughout the game. The score cards were emblazoned with pictures of jolly old Santa Claus and the lone hands were scored by attaching tiny vignettes of Santa Claus and crimson holly berries. In the award of the consolation prize, a charming old Santa laden with tiny stockings filled with bon-bons, was passed among the guests, Mrs. Will d'Antignac securing the lucky one, was presented with a handsome bronze letter rack. The first prize, a handsome sugar bowl and tongs, was awarded to Mrs. Robert Fleming, Jr., and the lone hand, a handsome antique brass candelabra, to Miss Grace Dugas. The booby, a gold miniature frame, was presented to Mrs. Frank Fleming. Champagne punch regaled the

guests during the game and at its conclusion an elaborate course supper was served. Mrs. Fleming in a dainty gown of pink point d'esprit and lace, was assisted in receiving her guests by Miss Schumpert, who was very lovely in white India silk and lace. Assisting in the scoring were Mrs. Argo, Mrs. Charles Bell, Mrs. Jas. Brnson and Miss Jenna Garrett.

Some Cotton Facts.

Cotton reached its lowest price this year on January 27th, when the New York price was 7 cents. It was below 8 cents until March 20th, when it reached 8.20. Then it fluctuated between 7 and 8 cents until June 16, when it reached 9.15. The first 10 cent notch of the year was reached on June 30th, when the price was 10.15. On July 21st, it brought 11 cents. From September 1 to November 3, it was a fraction over 10 cents. It passed the 11 cent figure on November 3, and has been up about 12 cents since December 1.

SALE OF LAND.

I will sell at public outcry before the courthouse at Newberry on salesday in January, 1906, within the legal hours of sale the following lands of the estate of the late J. L. Counts: Forty acres, more or less, near the town of Prosperity, bounded by lands of A. P. Dominick, J. C. Counts, L. M. Counts and others. Eighty-eight acres, more or less, in No. 9 township, bounded by lands of Bennett Connelly, D. Henry Wheeler, Robert Moore and others. Terms of sale: One half the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in twelve months, with interest from day of sale at eight per cent per annum, the credit portion to be secured by the bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises—with leave to the purchaser to pay all cash if he so desires. Purchaser to pay for papers.

Mrs. L. M. Counts, Executrix of estate of J. L. Counts.

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Respectfully,  
Mrs. S. W. Calmes,  
Prosperity, S. C.

SUPERVISOR'S OFFICE.

Notice is hereby given that the County Board of Commissioners will, on the 4th day of January, 1906, elect a keeper for the County Home at a salary of twenty-five dollars per month, and a county physician at a salary of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per annum; said county physician shall be required to furnish all necessary medicines. Applications may be filed with either of the undersigned on or before said date, at 12 o'clock noon. J. Monroe Wicker, Supervisor. Attest: Fred H. Dominick, Clerk.

State of South Carolina,  
County of Newberry.  
Edward R. Hipp, Plaintiff,  
Against

Henry Herbert and others, Defendants.

In the Court of Common Pleas.  
Foreclosure.

By virtue of the decree of the Court herein, I will sell to the highest bidder at public outcry, before the Court House door at Newberry, S. C., during the legal hours of sale on the First Tuesday (Salesday) in January, 1906, that certain tract of land situate in Newberry County, said State, containing seventeen acres, more or less, and bounded by lands of Randolph Jefferson, Estate Richard Pearson, I. H. Boulware and others.

Terms of sale: Cash. Purchaser to pay for making of deed.

H. H. Rikard,  
Master Newberry County.  
Master Newberry County.

State of South Carolina,  
County of Newberry,  
Court of Common Pleas.  
Martha C. Caldwell, Plaintiff  
Against

James Sims, Leander Sims, Everlenn Sims, Fayette Sims, Mary Sims, Fannie Sims and Samuel Sims, Defendants.

By virtue of an order in the above stated case I will sell before the Court House at Newberry, S. C., on Salesday in January, 1906, within the legal hours of sale, all that tract or plantation of land situate, lying and being in Township No. 3, in said county and state, containing One Hundred and Fifty acres, greatly more or greatly less, bounded by lands of Mrs. Sallie A. Henderson, Mrs. Addie Hodges, estate of B. H. Maybin, deceased, or his widow, Mrs. Ettie Maybin, and by lands of or in possession of W. B. Oxner.

Terms of sale: One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in one year with interest from day of sale, the credit portion to be secured by the bond of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises sold—with leave to the purchaser to pay the whole amount in cash. Purchaser to pay for papers and for recording same.

H. H. Rikard,  
Master.

Masters Office,  
December 6, 1905.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, as Administratrix and Administrator of the personal estate of David Hipp, deceased, will make a final settlement on said estate in the Probate Court for Newberry County on Monday the 22nd day of January, 1906, and immediately thereafter ask for a discharge as such Administratrix and Administrator.

Martha Hipp,  
R. H. Hipp,

Administratrix and Administrator of David Hipp, deceased.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Assessment of Real Estate and Personal property for year, 1906. I, or an authorized agent, will be at the following places named below, for the purpose of taking returns of real estate and personal property for the year, 1906.

At Newberry January 1st to 14th.  
At Whitmire Monday, January 15.  
At Maybinton Tuesday, January 16.  
At Glymphville Wednesday, Jan. 17.  
At Walton Thursday, January 18.  
At Pomaria Friday, January 19.  
At Jolly Street Monday, January 22.  
At Little Mountain Tuesday, Jan. 23.  
At O'Neill Wednesday, January 24.  
At St. Luke's Thursday, January 25.  
At Prosperity Fri. & Sat. Jan. 26, 27.  
At Longshore's Monday, January 29.  
At Chappells Tuesday, January 30.  
And at Newberry until February 20th after which time a penalty of 50 per cent will be added against parties failing to make returns.

While on the rounds my office will be open each day for the purpose of receiving returns there.

The law requires a tax on all notes, mortgages and moneys, also an income tax on gross incomes of \$2,500 and upwards.

There shall be a capitation tax of 50 cents on all dogs, the proceeds to be expended for school purposes. Dogs not returned for taxation shall not be held to be property in any of the Courts of this State.

All males between the ages of 21 and 60 years except Confederate soldiers, or those persons incapable of earning a support by being maimed or from any other cause are liable to poll tax.

Real Estate is to be reassessed this year. Each tract or lot of land must be assessed separately, also state to assessor if you have bought or sold any real estate since last year.

All property must be assessed "at its true value in money" which is construed to mean "the sum of money for which said property under ordinary circumstances would sell for cash."

Don't ask that your property be taken from books the same as last year. All property must be listed on proper blank and sworn to.

Name of township and school district must be given.

W. W. Cromer,  
Auditor Newberry County.

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